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The South Side

Tempe, Ariz., Nov. 30.—(Special Correspondence of The Republican.)—Messrs. George P. Thornton, J. T. Priest, A. J. Peters, G. P. Puckin, Dr. Wilbur of Mesa, and Miss Jessie Brown went to Phoenix today.

W. S. White was on the Mesa stage this forenoon.

Deaver Holmes is on the sick list and Tom Goodwin is filling his place at H. W. Ryder's.

George Fryer is building a six-room brick house at Mesa. Carl Johnson of Mesa is building a brick house. It is a two-story, and will contain eight rooms.

J. W. Martin moved today into the Harrington house.

At the Tempe house are registered Harvey F. Dunton, Kansas City; H. Lugred, Denver, and F. M. Tallmad.

A car of lumber came in this morning for the H. W. Ryder company.

Dr. Drane of Mesa was in town this morning.

G. Cave has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

A. G. Betraminelli and J. A. Hough sold twenty head of steers yesterday to J. E. Sturgeon, who will put them on pasture for a short time.

The ranchmen under the Tempe ditch are working hard to get in their grain before it is too late. The 220 acres recently purchased by George N. Gage presents a very different aspect from what it did a month ago. Then it was a desert grown to weeds and brush; now 120 acres of it are growing to wheat and the rest will soon be doing the same.

Dr. Hawley was in town from the mesa this morning.

Fred Zacharia of Tonto Basin is in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Brigham and John Hicks left this morning for the Sierra Anchas. They were outfitting for several weeks' prospecting a d hunting.

Jonathan Warner returned this morning from his trip to California and will now spend the winter with relatives.

In a few days Woolf Sachs will ship six cars of beef cattle to Los Angeles.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tempe-Mesa Produce company, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting other business, will take place next Saturday at Kingsbury hall. This company is one of the most solid firms in the valley and good judgment in the election is hoped for.

The following officers were elected last night by the A. O. U. W. lodge for the ensuing year: H. B. Moore, master; workman; George Nichols, foreman; I. N. Nichols, overseer; C. P. Borrowdale, recorder; R. R. Root, financier; G. R. Finch, receiver. Sam Brown was elected trustee for eighteen months.

The Odd Fellows have a meeting tonight in Andre's hall. Something definite about the new building is looked for.

C. T. Hayden, Miss Gilbraith and Miss Manha Gage visited the normal today.

Misses Gage, Melton, Temp'e and Messrs. Wilbur and Duncan form the after school class in history of education under Dr. McNaughton.

The astronomical observations at the normal were a great success last night. There were about 100 students present and the observations, beginning at 6, were continued until 11 o'clock. The moon, its mountains, craters and shadows were studied, and Mr. Lount explained its revolutions around the earth. The nebulae in the constellation Taurus, the North star and its double, and Sirius, or the

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dog star, were examined. The two nearest stars to the earth were also observed. Mr. Lount then explained the use of the telescope, and the star gazers descended to earth again. However, about twenty of them climbed to the top of the butte and continued their observations of the man in the moon.

Last evening Mrs. W. J. Kingsbury gave a card party in honor of Miss Gilbraith, daughter of Major Gilbraith of Fort Whipple. There were five tables in the game of progressive high five and when the signal sounded and the smoke lifted, Miss Gilbraith and George N. Gage were the victors. The prizes awarded were respectively, a beautiful center piece of Mexican drawn work and a gold pen in a pearl handle. Those present were: Miss Etta Gilbraith, the guest of honor; Mr. and Mrs. George N. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Hill, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Scroggs, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Brigham, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Zuck, Mr. and Mrs. Curt W. Miller, Mrs. M. West, Misses Laura Sharpe, Martha and Louie Gage, Nona and Katherine Kingsbury, Messrs. John Hicks and Ben Goldman.

SCOTTSDALE.

Mrs. H. W. Green yesterday received a box of wedding cake from friends in the east.

The new bridge at the corner of Washington street and Lincoln avenue is now completed and strangers can drive over it in safety.

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THE NEWS OF JEROME.

Another Letter From the Big Copper Camp—Wants the County Seat.

Jerome, Ariz., Nov. 30.—(Special Correspondence of The Republican.)—This mountain city of Arizona has a county seat bee in her bonnet. Yes, there are people in these parts who think Jerome is in line for promotion, the strong point offered being growth and wealth of minerals, particularly so in copper. Geographically the aspirant is not in it. But strange things will happen sometimes and who knows but what lightning will strike Jerome? As yet she is not an incorporated city, but that position will probably be granted her during the next session of the legislature. Jerome is proud of the big copper plant, of the rapid growth which has come to her in population and business and of the Verde valley, which stretches for miles below her and which admits of great possibilities. Only this year the Kirwagan & Haskell place, almost in sight, has produced apples alone that netted 3,000 pounds, selling at from 4 to 6 cents per pound, to say nothing of peaches, pears, grapes, melons and vegetables. The ranch has contributed the bulk to this market, Prescott taking second place. Mikel & Nichol's dairy has grown to be a paying investment in nine months and there are others who draw largely upon Jerome, giving in return milk, fruits and vegetables. It is over three months since I paid the camp a visit and I am tempted to repeat much that has been said, for no camp in the territory offers a greater fund of "good stuff," as we newspaper people express it. I shall not discuss mining matters at this time, leaving that as a windup and giving it place under the usual head. What the town needs worse than anything is fire protection, and why the property owners will wait to "lock the stable door after the animals are gone," I cannot see. She has experienced two fires, but they were insignificant as compared with what is possible at any moment. The United Verde Copper company carries insurance, but the town people the insurance companies "will not touch with a ten-foot pole." The risk is too great. The business houses were never more heavily stocked and there are many more of them than was noted three years ago when I first saw Jerome. The copper company will supply the water free for fire protection when called upon, but there are many who will not join hands in a proposition that means safety, hence the project is a dead letter. While there is natural drainage, yet a sewage system is essential and it can be established at little cost. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," and the quotation applies to both of the propositions—fire protection and that of health. Street cleaning need not cost any firm or individual business man over a dollar a month, but to do it properly concert of action is necessary. These remarks are made in all kindness, and it is hoped before I return in December that at least the first two propositions will be in force.

Many improvements are in progress and it can be said without fear of contradiction that no town in the territory has made a better showing in proportion to population than Jerome in regard to building, and it would be even better if the ground was available. The indications for 1898 are better than in 1897, and a few remarks on this point will appear in a subsequent letter. Con O'Keefe completed improvements to his store in October, involving an expenditure of \$3,000. Mrs. Boyd's new three-story frame, now known as the St. Charles hotel, cost in the vicinity of \$3,500. The lessees opened the house last month, or late in September. An addition was made recently to the Jerome hotel involving an expense of \$1,000. David Conner entered in an agreement with a Chicago party to lease the two stores being put on to the Exchange building Conner occupies. Conner had but \$300 when he started to build the original store building in 1894. He will put \$1,000 into the added two stores of brick, which will be ready for occupancy as the Hotel Chicago, on Christmas day. The company cottages and others and slightly appearance on the hill and below the county road, are numbered in the list of improvements. At least \$40,000 will have been expended this year on buildings below the copper

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plant. The cost of materials, brick alone are \$15 per thousand, and lumber is fully \$40 a thousand laid down. The Jerome Lumber company turns out fixtures, etc., somewhat of a saving.

Postmaster F. E. Jordan is assisted by Miss Gillespie in the conduct of the postoffice business. Mr. Jordan succeeded Doane Merrill as postmaster on October 1 and at once removed the office to Con O'Keefe's store. As soon as new quarters can be secured the office will settle down in a central locality, at least until a change of postmasters occurs. In comparison with the Prescott postoffice Jerome does a money order business almost treble that of the county seat, and the December business will show it to be over that. Five hundred money orders were issued, many of the international class. Mr. Jordan came from the copper company's service as mine car builder, to that of postmaster and he is giving entire satisfaction, considering the limited quarters in which the office is located.

Mr. John W. Ross, formerly of Flagstaff and Williams, has hung out his sign as a disciple of Blackstone. He is a brother of H. D. Ross, district attorney. Three years ago he taught the district school at Flagstaff. He has located his family here and is doing well in the new field.

Hon. George W. Hull, who served two terms as legislator, during which time he looked after the mining laws, improving thereon in new features, is spending his honeymoon in his pretty cottage in highest Jerome.

The novelty of dancing, which is bulletined, has been an attraction in two saloons for some weeks past, while two others are content with music and singing. The remaining eleven are plodding along, all having more or less gaming of the unlicensed class. "It is a notable fact," said Mr. Hoover, formerly of Prescott, "that Fridays and Sundays are dull days, except when pay days fall on these days or the day before; something I cannot explain."

Japanese Charley, who owns houses and runs the Bon-Ton restaurant, is out the money he lost through a burglary to a dead certainty, the woman and man charged with the theft having been discharged for lack of evidence. There was something queer in the whole affair, and the end is not yet.

Britton & Sharp burned 95,000 brick in the Verde valley, six miles from town, in October. They sell their brick at \$15 per thousand.

Jack Sims and the ex-chef of the Winsor at Prescott will open a restaurant in the rear of the Senate about December 10. They will make it the most attractive resort in town. Sims has had charge of the Jerome Junction hotel up to recent date.

Nat Bunker, late of the Senate, has leased McBride's Commercial hotel bar for a term.

Mr. Sam Landon and family moved to this place from Phoenix recently. Mr. Landon handled the throttle on the S. F. P. & P. since the road opened, and he began as a veteran. He started in the furniture business, buying from Heyman, and expects to occupy his own building shortly.

"Shipmate" Billy Sprague is one of a number who put in a good word for The Republican. Says it is growing better every day.

Neff & Stidentop took a lease of the St. Charles on the hill and run the house on the American plan. This is Mr. Boyd's new building mentioned above.

Andy Knobloch is a very busy man, dividing his time in the management of the Grand View house and keeping tally on the incoming trains. The rush is so great that Andy does dining room work as handily as the best of them. As a ticket he is a pronounced success.

S. J. Perkins, the news dealer, and Mr. Mason, the candy maker of Jerome, will move this week to a store in the Jerome hotel. Mr. Mason is a recent arrival from Chicago.

The weather is cool and growing colder. Further information from this camp in next letter. PITTOCK.

TOO HASTY IN WEDDING AGAIN.

Divorce in the Morning Set Aside in the Afternoon.

Hamilton, Mo., Nov. 30.—Today was divorce day in the circuit court at Kingsdon. About 11 o'clock Judge Broadbush heard the case of Mary Dice vs. Jerry Dice. Among those who testified in Mrs. Dice's behalf was Rev. Mr. Jacob E. Dyer. At the conclusion of the hearing Judge Broadbush announced that a divorce would be

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